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Subject:

Serial No. 09/523,990 03/13/00

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"METHOD OF MANUFACTURE AND IDENTIFICATION
OF SEMICONDUCTOR CHIP MARKED FOR
IDENTIFICATION WITH INTERNAL MARKING
INDICIA AND PROTECTION THEREOF BY NON-
BLACK LAYER AND DEVICE PRODUCED THEREBY"

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION AND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

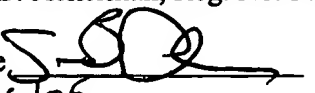
Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 06, 2005, please amend the above-identified application for patent as follows:

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